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1. MINED HAS CABLED MORNING (MOSCOW TIME) DECEMBER 7 TO SOVIET EMBASSY WASHINGTON CLARIFYING VISA AUTHORIZATION FOR DECEMBER 8. FYI: MINED HAD MADE COMPLETE PREPARATIONS FOR DECEMBER 8 ARRIVAL, HAD TYPED SCHEDULE SHOWING THAT TIME, AND WOULD HAVE DIFFICULTY AT THIS LATE DATE SHIFTING ARRANGMENTS TO ANY OTHER ARRIVAL TIME. OFFICIALS VISIBLY UPSET WHEN INFORMED OF DEPARTMENT'S CABLE. NOT CLEAR WHAT CAUSED PROBLEM AT SOVIET EMBASSY. WE AUTHORIZED INFORM DEPARTMENT, FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SOVIET EMBASSY IF APPROPRIATE, THAT QUOTE MINED OFFICIALY WELCOMES AMERICAN DELEGATION DECEMBER 8 END QUOTE. DEPARTMENT SHOULD ALLAY ANY IMPRESSION AMONG DELEGATION THAT VISA PROBLEM INDICATES SOVIET RELUCTANCE TO RECEIVE. MINED HAS BEEN EXTEREMLY FORTHCOMING IN PLANNING PROGRAM, AS FOLLOWING DRAFT SCHEDULE SHOWS.  
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2. DECEMBER 8, 1635 -- DELEGATION TO BE MET AT AIRPORT BY A.Y. SHIRINSKIY, DEPUTY CHIEF, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT; L.D. CHERVAKOV, MINED; AND CAO NOAH.

3. DECEMBER 9 -- REST AND SIGHTSEEING PROGRAM TO BE DISCUSSED ON ARRIVAL.

4. DECEMBER 10 -- CONFERENCE AT MIED, 10:00; VISIT RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF CONTENT AND METHODS OF INSTRUCTIONS; USSR ACADEMY OF PEDOGOGICAL SERVICES; 1200; VISIT RESEARLBYRTSZE OF TEACHING RUSSIAN IN NON-RUSSIAN SCHOOLS, 1600; ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM, 1900.

5. DECEMBER 11 - VISIT RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF NON-RUSSIAN SCHOOLS OF THE MINED OF RUSSIAN FEDERATION, 1000; VISIT V.I. LENIN STATE TEACHER TRAINING INSTITUTE, 1145; VISIT MOSCOW CITY INSTITUTE FOR TEACHERS' PROFESSIONAL GROWTH, 1630; ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM, 1900.

6. DECEMBER 12 -- VISIT MOSCOW LABORATORY, RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR ADULT EDUCATION, 930; VISIT DEPARTMENT OF CIRICULUM AND METHODS OF MINED OF RUSSIAN FEDERATION, 1130; VISIT ADULT SCHOOL NO. 27 OF BAUMEN DISTRICT, 1530; VISIT LENIN KOMSOMOL CAR FACTORY AND ITS INSTRUCTION CENTER, 1730; DEPART FOR LENINGRAD, 2355.

7. DECEMBER 13 -- ARRIVED LENINGRAD, 0835. DECEMBER 13 - 15, PROGRAM IN LENINGRAD INVOLVES VISITS TO THE CITY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF ADULT EUDCATION AND ITS EXPERIMENTAL SCHOOL NO. 82, VISIT TO A REGUALR SCHOOL, TO THE EDUCATIONAL STUDIOS OF LENINGRAD TV NETWROK, TO THE EVENING UNIVERSITY UNDER THE S.M. KIROV HOUSE OF CULTURE, TO THE A. HERTZEN TEACHER TRAIING INSTITUTE- THE DEPARTMENT FOR NORTHERN ETHNIC GROQS. ALSO ARRANGED ARE SIGHTSEEING TOURS OF THE CITY, VISITS TO THE HERMITAGE AND PISKAREV MEMORIAL CEMETRY, PAVLOVSK OR PUSHKINO. THEATER SHOWS IN THE EVENING.

8. DECEMBER 15 -- DEPART FOR MOSCOW, 2355.

9. DECEMBER 16 -- ARRIVE MOSCOW, 0825; DEPART FOR TASHKENT, 2140.

10. DECEMBICCUE -- ARRIVE TASHKENT, 0135. DECEMBER 17 - 19, PROGRAM INCLUDES VISITS TO THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION OF THE UZBEK REPUBLIC, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TO REGULAR AND EVENING SCHOOLS, TO A COLLECTIVE FARM WHERE THE LOCAL SCHOOL WILL BE INSPECTED, TO A TRAINING SCHOOL FOR ELEMENATRY TEACHERS, AND AN ENTERTAINMENT PGORAM.

11. DECEMBER 19 -- DEPART FOR MOSCOW, 1645; ARRIVE 2050.

12. DECEMBER 20 -- FINAL CONFERENCE AT MINED, 1000; MEETING AT ACADEMY OF PEDOGOGICAL SCIENCES, 1230.

13. DECEMBER 21 -- DEPART FOR NEW YORK, 1430.  
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